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Toorn powder is an excellent cleaner for fine jewelry. Gloves can be cleaned at home by

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To LESSEN the odor of cooking onions place some vinegar on the stove

A LITTLE vaseline, rubbed in once a day, will keep the hands from chapping. Neven rub your eyes, nor allow your children to do so from their cradles. Ми.к, applied once a week with a soft

cloth, freshens and preserves boots and A LUMP of camphor in your clothespress will keep steel ornaments from

tarnishing. A RESTAURANT-KEEPER says celery wants to lie in cold water an hour be fore it is chewed.

A LARGE, soft sponge, either dry or slightly dampened, makes a good and cheap duster.

KEROSENE will soften boots and shoes hardened by water, and render them as

pliable as new. To polish furniture use two parts of unboiled linseed oil and one part spirits

of turpentine. You can drive nails into hard wood without bending then if you dip them first into lard.

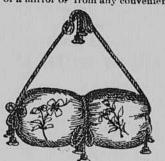
WEAR spots in a black silk waist may be strengthened by "sticking" court plaster underneath.

CLEAN the nickel-plate of stoves with soda and ammonia, using a woolen sloth, and polishing it with a clean one.

ORNAMENTAL PIN-ROLL.

A Dainty Trifle Which Is as Useful as It

The accompanying sketch illustrates a very dainty little pin roll, handsome and ornamental when suspended by the side of a mirror or from any convenient



hook that may happen to offer appropriate support, among the ornaments or furnishings of one's room. It is as neat and attractive as it is useful. copy the design, adds the American Agriculturist, make a solid roll of curled hair, two inches thick and four and a half long, and cover it smoothly with soft flannel or muslin, gathering and drawing in the cover at each end, as a bolster is covered: Slip this inside a cover made of a piece of pretty silk or satin, six inches wide and seven inches long, on which two floral sprays have been embroidered. Turn in a seam's width at the edge at one end, gather with strong double silk, draw up closely and fasten in the center of the end, finish the other end the same way, but do not break off the silk. Change the needle for a long clouder days of the silk. needle for a long slender darner, run this straight through the middle of the roll from end to end, pull the thread short enough to give the ends a slightby puffed appearance with a depression in the center, and fasten it. Around the roll, midway between the ends, tie a silk cord, with fluffy silk tassels, drawing it in closely, and knot the ends in front, as seen in the sketch. The arrangement of the cords by which it is suspended is also shown.

The Household Use of Boray

Borax is one of the most useful things to keep in the house. It is one of the best agents for softening water for domestic use in the laundry, kitchen and bathroom, though it must not be used for softening water which is to be drunk or used for cooking, as taken internally it has a specific medicinal effeet. The water may be softened on a small scale by putting a small quantity ver night. There is no greater comfort for anyone on a tour traveling in a limestone dis-triet than a small box or packet of borax, for by its use the effects of hard water on the skin are quite neutralized. It may be used either as a substitute for or in conjunction with soap, the proportion being a handful of borax to nine or ten gallons of water, and it has the advantage over soda in not spoiling colored clothes.

Grilled Sirloin Steak.

Cut a steak an inch thick from the sirioin. Brush it over on both sides with warmed butter, season with salt and pepper and grill from fifteen to twenty minutes. When sufficiently cooked, lay the steak on a very hot dish, place under and over it some dainty little pats of epicurean butter, surround it with a border of smoking-hot potato croquettes and serve at once. To make the epicurean butter, put about two ounces of perfectly fresh butter on a plate, and work into it thoroughly and patiently, with the point of a knife, a patiently, with the point of a kille, a rather high seasoning of cayenne, mush-room powder, mixed herb powder, lemon juice and minced parsley, with a pinch of salt; then set the butter in a cold place, and when quite firm stamp it out in tiny shapes and use.

Woman's Love of Influencing.

At last woman's real and abiding passion has been discovered. It is "to influence." Her love of influencing shows itself in a thousand ways. She likes to influence the sinner to mend his ways, the pessimist to become cheerful, the flippant to grow thoughtful. She even likes to influence rooms-to make them soft, warm, graceful, habitable. She cannot abide even in a hotel room for a day without making it bright with flowers and homelike with papers and magazines. A man would be content so long as it furnished him a cigar and something higher than a chair for his feet to rest upon

SECRETARY CARLISLE.

His Life Is Not One of Unalloyed Pleasure.

A Struggling Stream of Visitors That Flows on Forever-Officeseekers by the Hundred-Statesmen Pleading for Constituents

[Special Washington Letter.] "Does this struggling stream flow on forever? Is there no beginning nor end of it? How can the man stand

These questions were asked to-day in the office of the secretary of the treasury by a distinguished gentleman from one of our mountain states be-yond the Missouri river. He had important business to communicate to the secretary of the treasury, and, after securing admittance to the room without the weary wait attendant upon sending in a card, he was amazed to see what is a commonplace occurrence with those of us who have long resided here.

The private secretary to the secretary of the treasury, Mr. R. J. Wynne, who was for many years a member of the Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette correspondence bureau here, was requested to aid in securing an early audience for my friend, and he said: "You know that these senators standing and sitting about here must have precedence over all others. The senate is in special session and is called to order at noon. The senators are waiting their turns to see the secretary, and they are obliged to see the heads of other departments before noon, so that their time is more valuable to them than the other visitors realize. Moreover, each individual caller looking after something in which he is individually interested, while the senators are looking after the interests of their constituents. Your friend must wait until the senators have been attended to."
We stood and watched the passing

throng. Secretary Carlisle has been so long in public life that he knows all public men from every section of the great republic. As they came to him one at a time, while all others remained sufficiently far away to avoid overhearing his conversations with his callers, it was marvelous to hear him call them by name as he grasped their hands. Then, in each instance, he bowed his head to hear what they had to say, and responded to them in low tones. Occasionally he would bow his head and say: "Yes," but more often we could see him shake his head and say: "No, it cannot be done." Therefore, it was natural to conclude that the majority of them were being disappointed.

Senators Voorhees and Turpie, of Indiana, took chairs and occupied about ten minutes of the secretary's time, and to the rest of us it seemed ten hours almost. Then Senator Gor don, of Georgia, was granted an audi ence. He remained standing, and his military air and bearing were very observable. He finished his business in probably less than two minutes. Senator Ransom, of North Carolina, who was quietly reclining upon a large leathern sofa near the secretary, arose and advanced toward the desk of Mr. Carlisle, while others who were in waiting stepped backward a few paces. Senator Ransom was very earnest about something and held Mr. Carlisle's hand something and held Mr. Carlisle's hand for three or four minutes while he talked to him. At the conclusion of his statement of some case, Mr. Car-lisle said: "That seems only fair, and That seems only fair, and I'll do it, senator, with pleasure." Thereupon the courtly Carolinian smiled and departed.

Just then Mr. Holman, the great "objector," entered the door with two believes the second of t

friends. He introduced one of them, and I heard him say: "This appointment, Mr. Secretary, ought to be made some time this month. It is very—" but there his voice sank to a whisper, and what he was after nobody could guess, save that it was some sort of official place. Mr. Carlisle's manner was exceedingly non-committal, and, the business hav-ing been finished, Mr. Holman waved his hand to his other friend, who came forward, was introduced, grasped the hand of the secretary of the treasury, bowed and departed with Mr. Holman. It was plain from the appearance of the latter con-stituent of Mr. Holman that he was perfectly satisfied and greatly gratified



merely with the honor of having had an introduction to the eminent states man who is now in charge of our finan cial department; and that he will tell of his meeting and introduction with great gusto, when he returns to his Indiana home.

But there were other senators to oc cupy the time. Senator Colquitt, of Georgia, who has recently been seriously ill, was wheeled into the room upon an easy chair by a colored attendant, and was immediately granted an audience by the secretary, who sat down upon a chair in order to more readily hear and converse with him. The appearance of Senator Colquitt in such a novel vehicle reminded me of Hon. Alexander II. Stephens, of Georgia, who used to attend sessions to account the more. of the house in a similar manner. Mr.

Colquitt did not remain long. All place was taken by Concressman Chipman, of Detroit, the rotund and always jovial statesman from the Wolverine state. Judge Chipman was there to seek information concerning a ruling of the treasury department which will affect the shipping interests of the great lakes. He was speedily answered, when a large man came forward to see Mr. Carlisle; and it was then that my friend asked: "Does this

struggling stream flow on forever?"

It does. There is no end to the stream of humanity which flows into and out of the offices of the heads of departments here, and the office of the secretary of the tensor of the secretary of secretary of the treasury apparently receives all of the overflow. While we were waiting an audience, several newspaper correspondents entered by a side door, which is always open to them. Several of these gentlemen who represent evening papers, and who must telegraph their news not later than one o'clock every day, walked past senators, representatives and all others, right up to the secre-tary, and, saying: "Beg pardon," to senators and others, went directly to Mr. Carlisle, asked brief questions, and departed without actually blocking the stream for a moment. They know their business and the searchest their business and the secretary knows it, and hence they are privileged char-acters. The newspaper man who once imposes upon the time of a cabinet minister by remaining too long, will find the little side door closed to him

in future.

Mr. Dolliver, the young lowa congressman and talented orator, albeit a republican, called next and had his turn. He served in the house with Mr. Carlisle and they are warm personal friends. He came to inquire concerning the fate of one of his constituents, and was informed that watchmen on the treasury force, who were old sol-diers and who attend to their duties. will not be disturbed by this adminis-



tration. He went away happy, because he carried with him information which would cheer the heart of a poor and deserving man, upon whom a wife and little ones depend for bread and

Then came Mr. Dockery, of Missouri, and he was followed by Representatives Blanchard, of Louisiana; Paynter, of Kentucky; Hayes, of Iowa, and several others. We had been there over an hour, and there were now as many privileged persons ahead of us as when we came into the room. was very discouraging indeed; but, when we finally reached the secretary, transacted the business in hand and left the room, we found not less than fifty gentlemen out in the corridor waiting for an opportunity to enter.

"This is a nice government of the people," said one of the people out-side as we came out. "Here I've been for nearly two hours standing before that door, seeing others enter and come out, but I am not allowed even to eatch a glimpse of the secretary. This is the fifth day I've been here, and gone away disgusted every day because the doors are barred against me. I'll go home soon and give up in despair. I don't see why I can't get in. I'd take my turn then without growling."

There's the rub. They don't see why they can't get in. It makes a man impatient, and usually angry, to be obliged to stand outside and wait for a turn to send in a eard and solicit an audience. But those who know what is going on inside, and who see the crowded condition of the room; those who realize that the secretary is busy every minute, listening to the kaleido hopes and desires of others and dispatching business as rapidly as he can, not only wonder if the stream flows on forever, but they sympathize with the cabinet minister, and ask, as did my friend: "How can the man stand it?"

If the gentlemen outside who are complaining were each of them obliged to stand every day in the village scho house, and listen to the individual tales of woe of their neighbors; were also obliged to promptly apply some remedy, satisfy some ambition, gratify some desire for personal honor; while all the neighbors were waiting for their turn to get in, they might faint-ly imagine something of the position of the secretary of the treasury who has to listen to the plaints of people whom he knows, whom he does not know and who care nothing for him, while at the same time he must be burdened with the great financial problems which vex our country.

"How can the man stand it?" In the first place he has been endowed with a splendid physique. He has become fa-miliar with the social, political, finan-cial and executive problems which come before him. He is endowed with superior perceptive powers, and understands immediately, as by intuition, things which might burden and bother men of lesser intellectual caliber. is fitted both by nature and experience for the duties which now devolve apon him. For these and cognate reasons, he can stand the strain admirably, and will accomplish all that may reasonably be expected of him. But it is not fair to find fault with him because he cannot do more. SMITH D. FRY,

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